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TWELVE LOST ON SANTA CLARA; SEVERAL PASSENGERS NOT FOUND

PRACTICALLY CERTAIN THAT MISSING FIRST ASSISTANT FIREMAN, MESS BOY AND WINCH DRIVER WERE DROWNED TUE SDAY NIGHT.

BODIES ARE BEING BURIED HERE TODAY

ONE FUNERAL HELD AT RESIDENCE SO INJURED MOTHER CAN HEAR SERVICES—SOME BODIES WILL BE TAKEN AWAY

Twelve lives were lost in the Santa Clara wreck and in addition four passengers have not been accounted for, but the latter may turn up alive. In fact, it is expected that they will.

In addition to the eight identified bodies, there are four members of the crew missing and it is believed that they were beyond a doubt drowned.

THE MISSING OF CREW.

They are: JOHN WELLER, first assistant engineer. TOM TELLO, fireman. TOM FARRELL, known as "Jack" Farrell, mess boy. ROBERT SHEARER, winch driver.

THE PASSENGERS MISSING.

The names of the passengers who have not been accounted for are as follows:

T. GAFF. S. COLLINS. FRED JONES. G. ALLEN

The residence of these passengers are not known here and no one seems to know them, so they are likely strangers here.

Dead—Bodies Recovered.

Mrs. J. M. Dunn, Butte, Montana. Mrs. D. H. Thorne, Hood River. Eugene Gillenwater, aged 7, Seattle. Mrs. S. Caldwell, Salem. Mrs. S. Cullen, Portland. Delmar Bogue, aged 9. Harry Andrade, oiler. Alfred Crowley, aged 13 months, Sedro-Wooley, Washington.

STILL CHIEF TOPIC.

The wreck is still the main topic of discussion in the city and much sympathy has been expressed for the sufferers and those who lost members of their families. Every effort on the part of the people has been made to lend assistance.

Some of the sailors say they are confident that the mess boy was drowned as he was seen in the water. One of the crew saw Weller and Tello in the boat which had capsized and they were being tossed about without any oars to man the boat.

Were Seen in Water

Others say that they saw the two men in the water. At any rate the missing members of the crew would have long ago reported to the company had they been alive so they are now given up as lost. This makes the total dead 12 outside of the four missing passengers.

Likely Are Alive

The deaths were caused by the capsizing of the first boat which contained mostly women and children, and by the tipping over of the last boat in which only members of the crew had taken refuge so it is highly probable that the missing passengers are alive and have simply failed to report. Who they are is not known as the names do not seem to be familiar to any here.

Some Are Located

Of the nine passengers who were unaccounted for yesterday afternoon four have been found. Mrs. H. A. Morris is at the Schillerstrom residence in North Bend. She suffered a broken rib and was taken by Mrs. Schillerstrom to the latter's house. Mrs. Morris is from Bandon where her husband resides. She is a cousin of Carl Walker in this city. She had contemplated attempting the trip to Bandon this afternoon but may stop at the Walker home for a further rest.

R. G. Marques who was unaccounted for had been located. He talked with people in North Bend the day after the wreck so it is known was not lost. J. A. Gillen and Henry Kamack were also located by the steamship company.

Three Funerals Held.

The morgue at the Dungan Undertaking Parlor exhibited a pitiable sight through the day. There were three funerals held and almost every hour some one came to look at the dead bodies, most of the people being friends of the dead, or relatives. Services for little Alfred Crowley, 13 months old, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Crowley, of Sedro-Wooley, Washington, were held at the E. J. Coffelt residence in North Bend by the Rev. Knotts this morning. The mother of the boy received a broken leg and was severely injured in the wreck, so the service was conducted at the Coffelt residence, where she was staying.

At 12:30 p. m. the last rites over the body of Delmar Bogue, aged nine years, son of Mrs. Jennie Bogue, were held. The mother was injured. She was unable to be present.

Identified by Ticket.

The name of Mrs. B. J. Caldwell, of Salem, was not on the passenger list. She has a husband and four children in Salem to mourn her loss. She was expected here to visit the family of J. C. Gibbs, of North Bend, being an aunt of Mrs. Gibbs.

Yesterday morning Mr. Gibbs went to the morgue but was unable to identify her, for it has been some 13 years since he last met her. In a coat was found the ticket and number of her berth and by telegraphing to the Portland office the name was secured.

Will be Taken North.

The body of Mrs. Caldwell has been embalmed and will wait over until the return of the Kilburn for shipment back to Salem for burial. She has a niece in Sacramento, Miss E. G. Phillips, who was to have been visited later.

To Be Cremated.

The body of Mrs. D. H. Thorne, of Hood River, has also been embalmed, and will be sent on the Kilburn Saturday to San Francisco for cremation. Mr. Thorn will accompany his wife's body.

Known by Priest.

Mrs. Cullen, who was identified last yesterday as the housekeeper of the Rev. Father Black, in Portland, will be embalmed and sent to Portland for burial. Father Hogan visited the morgue here and identified her.

Word was received this morning from Mrs. Hannah Andrade, mother of Harry Andrade, oiler, who lives in Oakland. The body of her son has been embalmed and will be sent south on the next Kilburn.

LITTLE HOPE FOR LIFE OF O. E. SULLY

O. E. Sully, who attempted suicide yesterday by drinking carbolic acid, is not expected to live. It is said that he may possibly live for a week or 10 days, but his throat and stomach were so badly burned that Dr. Horsfall fears ulcers will become fatal.

Mrs. Tully, though she saw her husband yesterday after he took the acid, did not know that it was an attempt to take his life until she read The Times last evening. She is now at his bedside.

Marshfield-Roseburg auto line. Through autos to Roseburg, \$7.00. Reservations at "The Owl" Phone 74.

CARGO WILL BE AN ENTIRE LOSS

Water and Sand Washing in and Ruining Everything on Board Santa Clara

CANNOT BE SAVED

Only a Part of the Parcel Post Was Taken Off of the Wrecked Vessel

SOME BAGGAGE REMOVED

Stories of Pirate Looting Suit Cases But Captain Dunsen at Light House Discredits Story and Says Only Crew Member on Board

The cargo of the Santa Clara will be totally ruined. The vessel is laying over on one side about the same place where she was yesterday. Every wave carries water and sand into the vessel, so all of the cargo is wet and practically ruined now.

Filled With Water

Capt. Dunsen, of the Cape Arago light house looked the wreck over today and said that the boat was ready to break in two at the first heavy sea. He says everything on the vessel must be ruined, as she is full of water and much sand. The captain says he does not see any chance for salvage.

Talk of Thievery

There was a good deal of talk about suit cases having been rifled and pirates having been aboard the ship stealing what they could get. Capt. Dunsen today said that he was practically certain that no one had been on board excepting members of the crew, who went to get their personal belongings and who brought off some of the baggage for passengers. He does not credit the stories of the pirates having interfered with the wreck.

Parcel Post There.

Some of the parcel post was taken off yesterday, but it is reported that there are still eighty sacks of the parcel post mail on board. This of course will be ruined.

May Save Wireless

Operator G. A. Williamson, of the local Marconi Station, said today that the wireless equipment of the Santa Clara belongs to his company and if possible the equipment which is worth about \$1000, would be saved. However, it is insured, and if it is damaged it will not be worth while to take it off. The operators' room was smashed in and some of the equipment may be damaged.

Might Hurt Insurance

Frank Horton and some of the merchants who had freight aboard the Santa Clara were talking today of organizing a salvage company and taking steps to get their goods off. It was believed that if the seas continued moderate that a donkey engine could be put on the beach or the cliff and by means of an endless pulley, bring most of the goods ashore in slings. Late this afternoon Mr. Horton abandoned the idea as far as he is concerned. He said that word from the beach was that molasses barrels have broken open, so have the flour sacks and this is all getting mixed into one brew and he feared to bother with it on the grounds that such action might seriously affect the insurance. Most of the goods consigned to Allen & Lewis, he said, were insured.

Frank Layton, who is here, said that his house had a number of big shipments for Coos County merchants aboard. He did not know how many of them were insured. He had three sample cases of spring goods aboard and of course, they are ruined, even if he should get them.

Frank Horton received a telegram this morning from Allen & Lewis in Portland stating that the big shipments of goods sent him for the branch here was completely insured. A carload of breakfast foods, worth about \$2500, did not reach Portland in time to come on the boat.

A new Buick auto for delivery to George Goodrum is on board the vessel and is being ruined. Some parts of the wheels came ashore today.

I. Terrill says that he is confident one of the crew of the Santa Clara, who helped bring in the first boat, which was swamped near the beach, was carried out by the undertow. He said that two of the men who helped bring the boat in got ashore alright, but were not seen afterwards. The third member lifted the boat over and was working with it when last seen and then a big comb came in and he was seen no more. Mr. Terrill was at the scene of the wreck looking for Miss Thelma Snell of Meadowdale, Wash., who was coming to visit her sister, Mrs. C. L. Shoffner at Powers. Mr. Terrill was unable to locate her until 3 o'clock in the morning, she having come to town with Miss Church and others. He finally took her to his home and when Mr. Shoffner reached here yesterday, he accidentally encountered Terrill and learned where she was.

Miss Snell said that she was not greatly alarmed.

TIBER CAUSES BIG FLOODS AND DAMAGE

ROME, Nov. 4.—Floods caused by the overflowing of the Tiber River interrupted railroad traffic, uprooted trees, drowned cattle. Many peasant families were rescued from the areas surrounded by water.

KING TO THE FRONT

PETER OF SERBIA GOES TO ENCOURAGE SOLDIERS

Will Take Them News That French and British Forces Are Hurrying to Assistance

AMSTERDAM, Nov. 4.—An official Bulgarian statement received today from Sofia says that King Peter of Serbia has gone to the front to encourage the soldiers and take them the news that the French and British forces are hurrying to their assistance.

BRITISH IN SERBIA

FIRST CONTINGENT REACHES THAT COUNTRY LAST FRIDAY

Will Work in Conjunction With French Soldiers in the Campaign in the Balkans

PARIS, Nov. 4.—The first British contingent arrived Friday at Guevgueli, Serbia, just across the Greek boundary, according to a Saloniki dispatch. The British will act as a separate unit but in collaboration with the French troops.

BRITISH STEAMER HAS BEEN SUNK

LONDON, Nov. 4.—The British steamer Friargate, 246 tons gross, has been sunk. Five survivors were landed.

FRENCH LANDING

STILL PUTTING TROOPS ON GREEK SOIL

Continues Practice Without Incident According to Announcement of French War Office

PARIS, Nov. 4.—The landing of French troops at Saloniki continues without incident, according to an announcement of the French war office.

WILL FIGHT IT OUT

GERMANY WILL CONTINUE THE WAR TO ITS END

Prince Von Buclow Says He is Not in Switzerland on a Peace Mission

LUCERNE, Nov. 4.—Prince Von Buclow, former German Chancellor, informed the Associated Press today that he had not come to Switzerland on a peace mission. He declared Germany was resolved to continue the war to its conclusion by arms.

ACT IS EFFECTIVE

LA FOLETTE SEAMAN'S BILL IS NOW IN FORCE

Does Not Prevent Sailing Today of Boats Not Able to Get Required Number of Men

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 4.—The going into effect at midnight last night of the La Follette seaman's act was not expected to affect the sailing of several vessels scheduled to leave port today. Clearance papers were granted to vessels which had been unable to obtain the required number of certified seaman.

VESSEL IS FLOATED

MARIPOSA WHICH WAS ON ROCKS IS SAVED

Struck On Rocks Oct. 8 and is Being Towed To McLaughlin Bay For Repairs

SEATTLE, Wash., Nov. 4.—The Alaska Steamship Company's steamer Mariposa, which went on the rocks near Bella Bella, B. C., Oct. 8, has been floated and was towed to McLaughlin Bay for temporary repairs, according to word received by the company today.

TROOPS FIRED ACROSS BORDER

Calles Men Deliberately Aimed at American Soldiers With Rifles and Cannon

NO ACTION TAKEN

General Funston Makes a Report Regarding the Mexican Battle of Agua Prieta

LEADERS DID BEST COULD

Villa and Calles Both Tried to Protect American Lives and Property During the Conflict, it is Said in Report Received Today

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 4.—Carranza troops were the main offenders in firing across the border at Agua Prieta, according to a report today from General Funston to the war department. Both Calles and Villa did all they could to prevent injury to American lives and property.

Mexico Statement

Regarding the firing across the border Funston said: "I could not in fairness have opened fire on Villa without treating Calles the same. He cited cases where the Calles troops deliberately fired upon American soldiers with rifles, machine guns and cannon. The report described the situation as satisfactory, and added: "I consider immediate danger passed."

DECLARED CAPITAL

VILLA NAMES NACO AS HIS NORTHERN SEAT

Will Make Place the Base of Supply and Army Will Rest Thirty Days

NACO, Ariz., Nov. 4.—Naco, Sonora, just across the border, was declared today to be the northern capital of Mexico by Villa, who arrived with a contingent of his army, in the withdrawal from Agua Prieta. Naco will be made the base of supplies and the troops will rest here 30 days, it was said.

TROUBLE IN GREECE

ZAIMIS GOVERNMENT MEETS DEFERRED IN ARGUMENT

It is Expected that the Administration Will Resign on Account of Foreign Policy

ATHENS, Nov. 4.—The Zaimis government in Athens was defeated in a discussion of foreign policy in Parliament today and is expected to resign, according to a Havas dispatch from Athens.

RUSSIA IS ACTIVE

PREPARES TO SEND FORCES INTO BULGARIA

Is Awaiting Decision by Rumania Regarding the Danube River While Will Be Favorable

LONDON, Nov. 4.—From Bucharest comes the report that the Russians are concentrating great forces at the port of Reni, in Bessarabia, from which place they are expected to make a direct landing on Bulgarian territory if Rumania gives an interpretation of the internationalization of the Danube river friendly to Russia by which men and munitions may be conveyed by river into Bulgaria.

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C. R. PORTER GETS FIRST CHOICE LAND

MINOT, N. D., Nov. 4.—Charles R. Porter, of Anoka, Minn., won the right of first choice of a 160-acre tract of land from the 700 homesteads to be opened to entry next May at the Fort Berthold land drawing here today.

SPOKANE ELECTION

MAYOR FASSETT MAY LOSE OUT—TWO OTHERS CLOSE TO HIM

John C. Argall and Leonard Funk Elected Commissioners at Municipal Election Yesterday

SPOKANE, Wash., Nov. 4.—John C. Argall and Leonard Funk were elected city commissioners in yesterday's election. For the third city commissioner, the two present commissioners, Mayor Fassett and Samuel Glasgow, and F. A. Chase are in a close contest. The complete returns from 121 precincts out of 126 given: Chase 6896, Fassett 6622, and Glasgow 6531.

DRAWING TOGETHER

BULGARIANS AND TEUTONS WILL SOON JOIN

Town in Serbia is Stormed—Fight in East Still on and Germans Recapture City

LONDON, Nov. 4.—The Teutonic and Bulgarian armies are drawing closer together in central Serbia. The Bulgarians stormed the town of Kalafat, six miles northeast of Nish, Berlin announced today.

The Germans have advanced in the region north of Kralievo, taking 650 prisoners, apparently with the intention of cutting off the retreat of the Serbian army from Nish toward Montenegro.

Active in Macedonia. Meanwhile the Franco-British are making their presence felt in Macedonia where they claim to be making headway on the Istip front. More troops are landed at Saloniki and it is also reported that troops are landing at Kavala.

Fight in East. In the east, Berlin says the town of Mikulshchi between Lake Swanton and Lake Illen, which was captured by the Russians Tuesday on the Dvinsk front, has been reconquered by the Germans. Further south, General Von Bothmer has taken 3,000 prisoners near Slenikowce.

The Western Front. In the west, the recent German attacks in Champagne, are followed by a lull. Bad weather makes offensive operations difficult.

Paris reported today that spirited fighting with hand grenades took place near Lille last night. At the same time a violent artillery combat was raging in the same vicinity.

GARRISON TURNED OVER. Carranza Gains a Post in Chihuahua Near the Border

EL PASO, Texas, Nov. 4.—The garrison of Olan, Chihuahua, on the border near Presidio, Texas, has been turned over to Carranza, according to advices received here by the Carranza Consulate.

It is also reported that General Flores has occupied Torres, 30 miles southwest of Hermosillo, and that the Villa garrison at La Colorado, near Hermosillo, surrendered.

VOTE IN TOLEDO

People Against Twenty-five Year Street Car License

TOLEDO, Ohio, Nov. 4.—The city of Toledo voted against the 25-year street car franchise and will take over all lines controlled by the Toledo Railway and Light Company. The proposal that the city purchase the street railways was rejected in Detroit after a bitter fight.

QUESTIONS DECIDED

Various Results in Election in the Different States

NEW YORK, Nov. 4.—An overwhelming defeat of woman suffrage in New York, Massachusetts and Pennsylvania, the election of a Democratic Governor of Maryland, to succeed a Republican, and a Republican Governor of Massachusetts to succeed a Democrat, a gain of one Republican Representative (from New York) in Congress in the filling of four vacancies; a close contest for the Governorship of Kentucky, with a Democrat leading on incomplete returns, and the defeat of prohibition in Ohio were the outstanding features of the election in ten states Tuesday.

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VILLA MAKES ENEMY GUESS

Although He Failed to Take City He Has Carranza Generals Puzzled

AWAIT NEXT MOVE

Soldiers Who Surrendered Say He Will Cut Army up into Small Bands

TO HAVE GUERRILLA WAR

In This Way He Can Harass the Carranza Generals—Wanted Agua Prieta for Base of Supplies to Continue His Campaign

DOUGLAS, Nov. 4.—Though thwarted in his attempt to make Agua Prieta and obtain a base of supplies for the continuation of his campaign, Villa today was said to believe the Carranza officials guessing what his next move would be. Villa soldiers surrendering to the Carranza scouts declared that Villa is planning on distributing his forces in small bands to harass the Carranza generals and adopt a guerrilla warfare.

Army Still Moving

Villa's army appeared to be still moving toward Naco. Reports from there stated that more than 1,000 had already arrived and 2,000 more were in sight. Whether Villa definitely abandoned all hope of capturing Agua Prieta remained a question.

FIGHT TO LAST

Villa Forces Manage to Kill Some in Retreating

DOUGLAS, Nov. 4.—A Calles reconnoitering party of about 50 men ran into a Villa machine gun squad southeast of Agua Prieta and was cut to pieces before Villa's retirement yesterday. Only five returned to the trenches.

Part of the Calles cavalry force which was sent southwest yesterday to harass the retreating Villa forces was driven in by brisk small-arms fire and a series of shells from a Villa gun posted near Agua Prieta.

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